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1091-094

English 1091 Composition and Language

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In this course, you will work on polishing your technical skills, learning to present your written work to an audience, and developing ways to respond to other people's written work and performance. The class will run as a workshop, and you will be responsible for making copies of each of your papers for everyone in the class. In all you will write about seven short papers and present them to the group as a whole. You will also be asked to respond in various ways to each person's work. I can promise you that in this process, you will grow as a writer, gain confidence in what you have to say, and learn to value the thought and expression of the other people in the room.

Class policies:

1. Because this is a workshop class, attendance really counts. Missing a class or two is acceptable, but more than that is not, and your grade will suffer if you do.
2. Deadlines are crucial. In order to get through each set of papers, we need to move pretty quickly and have everything together in time. Things are due when I say they are due.
3. Final grade for the course will be based on the quality of your written work and your degree of active participation in the class.

"You write the best you can, and you take your chances."

Raymond Carver